



State of Delaware
Homeland Security Advisory Council
(HSAC)

June 18, 2018

Minutes

11:00-12:30

James Turner III Conference Room
Delaware Emergency Management Agency
Smyrna DE 19977

PUBLIC SESSION - Welcome, Call to Order, and Room Introductions

1. Secretary Coupe-Chair called the meeting to order

Secretary Robert Coupe
Terry Pepper, HSA

Department of Safety & Homeland Security -
Department of Safety & Homeland Security – Co-
Chair

Sandra Alexander
Steven Blessing
Director A. J. Schall
Drew Aydelotte

Department of Technology & Information
DHSS/Division of Public Health, Section Chief
Delaware Emergency Management Agency
Department of Natural Resources Environmental
Control

Chief Marvin Mailey
Dr. Heather Hirst
M/Cpl. Timothy Kerstetter

Dover Police Department
Department of Agriculture
Delaware State Police (DIAC)

Bill Crotty
Ed Klima

Delaware State Police (DIAC)
Director Emergency Services and Loss Prevention

LTC Garland Pennington
Derek Finney
Brian Moore

Delaware National Guard
Delaware National Guard
Education Associate, School Discipline

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| Wayne Smith | President & CEO DHA |
| Aleine Cohen | Deputy Attorney General |
| Shannon Hanson | U.S Attorney General's Office |
| Renee Hupp | Delaware Emergency Management Agency |
| Tony Lee | Delaware Emergency Management Agency |
| Willie Patrick | Delaware Emergency Management Agency |
| Chris Murtha | Delaware Emergency Management Agency |
| Colonel Richard Arroyo | Delaware River Bay Authority |

Delaware Emergency Management Agency:

AJ Schall gave a presentation of an overview on DEMA. He explained the grant process and funding needs. Mr. Schall explained what services are provided with the grant money, when it is received. DEMA has held 17 tabletop exercises year to date. AJ also explained they would like to form a working group and use a rating system.

Below are the funds released for 2018:

\$3,752,000

25% will go to Law Enforcement

80% Local/20% State

- Citizens Corp- \$188,726 Decrease from \$200,000
- Cybersecurity- \$231,190 Increased from \$150,000
- Emergency Management- \$176,525 decreased from \$239,720
- EMS (Paramedics for County) \$302,840 increased from \$149,536
- Government Administration \$115,000 increased from \$62,000
- Hazmat (DNREC) \$326,497 increased from \$248,120
- Law Enforcement- \$995,000 increased from \$937,999
- Public Health \$479,705 increased from \$450,160
- Public Safety Communications \$79,266 decreased from \$95,600
- Training and Exercise \$667,619 increased from \$607,464
- Management Administration \$187,500 decreased from \$263,114
- Fire Service \$198,163 decreased from \$263,116 Special Operations Team Sustainment

**Ist Motion (Grant) - Approved Lt. Hudson, Lt Colonel Pennington,
Abstentions: 1**

Motion carries- Approved

2nd Motion (Rating System), Dr. Heather Hirst, Ed Klima, Approved

Motion to Adjourn: was made by Terry Pepper, seconded by Ed Klima

Meeting adjourned at 11:40 am.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, July 18, 2018

11:00 am – 12:30 pm

Location: Delaware Emergency Management Agency